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From: Minetta Liu <mliu@natera.com

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Thank you so much, Howard.

On Thu, Oct 5, 2023 at 4:14 PM Howard Hochster < hh458@cinj.rutgers.edu> wrote:

Hi Minetta,

Per the NRG leadership, they need to go through a few more steps and meetings with NCI before they can consider this. But they are interested. Will circle back when I hear more. Many thanks.

HH

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From: Minetta Liu < <u>mliu@natera.com</u> > Date: Thursday, October 5, 2023 at 2:33 PM To: Howard Hochster < <u>hh458@cinj.rutgers.edu</u> > Subject: Re: COBRA
Hi Howard.
A virtual meeting would be great. Would you kindly connect the dots for us?
Take care,
Minetta
On Mon, Oct 2, 2023 at 8:42 AM Howard Hochster < hh458@cinj.rutgers.edu > wrote:
Thanks Minetta. I spoke with Thom George and Norm Wolmark. Should we plan a virtual meeting ?
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## Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2023, at 09:02, Minetta Liu < mliu@natera.com > wrote:

Dear Howard,

Thank you for your message, and for helping to educate providers about the value of tumor-informed MRD testing. Natera would certainly consider what you propose re: COBRA. With whom among the NRG leadership team did you discuss this? Happy to engage as you see fit.

Take care,

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On Tue, Sep 26, 2023 at 1:01 PM Howard Hochster < hh458@cinj.rutgers.edu > wrote:

Hi Minetta.

Thank you for sending out this email on the COBRA trial. This is a critical point which I keep emphasizing to people. Their methylation signature is "poo-poo".

I have mainly dealt with Mike Krainock, but wanted to see if you would consider rerunning the tissue and blood for these patients. I have brought this up to NRG leadership team.

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